# Gaelic

## Alphabet

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$$\left\{\begin{array}{ccccccccc} a & b & c & d & e & f & g & h & i \\ l & m & n & o & p & r & s & t & u \end{array}\right\}$$

Symbols put on vowels are ◌́ and ◌̀. Used for loan words are *j*, *k*, *q*, *v*, *w*, *x*, *y* and *z*. Of these *k* and *q* have been replaced by *c*, *x* by *cs*, *y* by *i* or *e*, and *z* by *s*.

*Example.* [à] (prep) (out of); [abair] (prs) (say), [vb.n] (ràdh) (ràdha) (gràdh) (gràdha), [cond] [pt.habit] [indep] (theireadh), [cond] [pt.habit] [dep] (abradh); [ach] (conj) (but); [adhbhar] (m) (reason); [agus] (conj) (and); [aig] (prep) (at); [ainmeil] (adj) (famous); [àite] (m) (place); ⟨an-diugh⟩ (adv) (today); ⟨a-nis⟩ (adv) (now); ⟨an seo⟩ (adv) (here); ⟨an sin⟩ (adv) (there); [aobhar] (m) (cause) (reason); [àrd-sgoil] (f) (secondary school); [balach] (m) (boy); [bàrd] (m) (poet); [bàrdachd] (f) (poetry); [bàta] (m) (boat); [beagan] (adv) (a little); [bean] (f) (wife); [bho] (prep) (from); [blàth] (adj) (warm); [bò] (f) (cow); [bòrd] (m) (table); [brèagha] (adj) (lovely); [bris] (prs) (break); [bròg] (f) (shoe); [buail] (prs) (strike), [vb.n] (bualadh); [buidhe] (adj) (yellow); [builich] (vb) (grant) (bestow) (confer); [caileag] (f) (girl); [can] (prs) (say), [vb.n] (cantainn) (cantail); [cead] (m) (permission); [ceann] (m) (head) (end); [ceannaich] (prs) (buy), [vb.n] (ceannach); [ceàrr] (adj) (wrong); [cèiliche] (m) (visitor); [ceòl] (m) (music); [ceum] (m) (degree); [clì] (adj) (left); [cluinn] (prs) (hear), [vb.n] (cluinntinn) (cluinnteail); [comhfhurtail] (adj) (comfortable); [comharradh] (m) (post) (job); [craobh] (f) (tree); [creid] (prs) (believe), [vb.n] (creidsinn); [cuideachd] (adv) (also) (too); [cuideam] (m) (weight); [cùil] (f) (corner); [cùm] (prs) (keep), [vb.n] (cumail); [cus] (adv) (too much); [cuir] (prs) (put) (send), [vb.n] (cur); [de] (prep) (of); [deagh] (adj) (good); [dèan] (prs) (do) (make), [vb.n] (dèanamh) (dèanadh); [dearg] (adj) (red); [deas] (adj) (right) (right-hand); [dòirt] (prs) (pour); [donn] (adj) (brown); [dreuchd] (f) (post) (job); [dubh] (adj) (black); [dùthaich] (f) (land) (country); [èigh] (prs) (shout), [vb.n] (èigheachd); [eile] (adj) (other) (else); [èist] (prs) (listen), [vb.n] (èisteachd); [fada] (adj) (long); [fàg] (prs) (leave), [vb.n] (fàgail); [faic] (prs) (see), [vb.n] (faicinn) (faiceail); [faigh] (prs) (get), [vb.n] (faighinn) (faotainn); [fairich] (prs) (feel), [vb.n] (faireachdainn); [falbh] (prs) (vb.n) (go away); [fàs] (prs) (vb.n) (grow); [feadhainn] (f) (some); [feannag] (f) (crow); [feuch] (prs) (try), [vb.n] (feuchainn); [fhathast] (adv) (still); [fionn] (adj) (blond) [hair]; [fios] (m) (knowledge); [fo] (prep) (under); [foghlam] (m) (education); [foillsich] (vb) (publish); [freagairt] (f) (answer); [fuirich] (prs) (live), [vb.n] (fuireach); [gab] (prs) (take), [vb.n] (gabhail); [geal] (adj) (white) (bright); [geàrr] (prs) (cut), [vb.n] (gearradh); [glan] (adj) (clean) (fine) (nice); [glas] (adj) (grey); [goirt] (adj) (sore); [gorm] (adj) (dark blue) (green); [grian] (f) (sun); [gu] (prep) (to); ⟨gu dearbh⟩ (adv) (indeed); ⟨gu h-àraid⟩ (adv) (especially); [iarr] (prs) (want), [vb.n] (iarraidh); [idir] (adv) (at all); [innis] (prs) (tell) (relate), [vb.n] (innse); [ionnsaich] (prs) (learn), [vb.n] (ionnsachadh); [ith] (prs) (eat), [vb.n] (ithe); [lag] [lagaich] (prs) (weaken), [vb.n] (lagachadh); [laigh] (prs) (lie down), [vb.n] (laighe); [le] (prep) (with); [leabhar] (m) (book); [lean] (prs) (follow), [vb.n] (leantail) (leantainn); [leugh] (prs) (read), [vb.n] (leughadh); [liath] (adj) (light blue) (grey); [litreachas] (m) (literature); [luaireag] (f) (storm petrel) (*thalassidroma procellaria*); [math] (adj) (good); [mear] (adj) (merry); ⟨measail air⟩ (fond of); [mol] (prs) (praise), [vb.n] (moladh); [mu] (prep) (about); [na] (pron) (that which); [(neò-)] (pfx) [neg] (un-) [len]; [nigh] (prs) (wash), [vb.n] (nighe); [no] (conj) (or); [nurs] (m) (nurse); [obair] (prs) (vb.n) (work); [oidhche] (f) (night); [oilthigh] (m) (university); [òl] (prs)

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(vb.n) (drink); [orains] (adj) (orange); [ospadal] (m) (hospital); [pàipear] (m) (paper); [pìob] (f) (pipe); [plèan] (m) (aeroplane); [pòs] (prs) (marry), [vb.n] (pòsadh); [rach] (prs) (go), [vb.n] (dol); [ri] (prep) (to); [ro] (prep) (before); [ruadh] (adj) (dark red); [ruith] (prs) (vb.n) (run); [salach] (adj) (dirty); [seas] (prs) (stand), [vb.n] (seasamh); [seinn] (prs) (vb.n) (sing); [sìde] (f) (weather); [sin] (dem.pron) (that) (those); [sgrìob] (f) (trip); [sgrìobh] (prs) (write), [vb.n] (sgrìobhadh); ⟨sin as coireach⟩ (that is the reason); [smaoinich] (prs) (think), [vb.n] (smaoineachadh) (smaointinn); [sporan] (m) (purse); [suidh] (prs) (sit down), [vb.n] (suidhe); [suidheachan] (m) (seat); [tadhal] (vb.n) (visiting); ⟨taigh-tasgaidh⟩ (m) (museum); [taobh] (m) (side); [tè] (f) (woman); [teagasg] (m) (teaching); [teann] (adj) (tight); [tha] (prs) (be); [thig] (prs) (come), [vb.n] (tighinn) (tighean); [thubhairt] (pt) [abair] (say); [tog] (prs) (raise) (lift) (build), [vb.n] (togail); [toilichte] (adj) (pleased); [tòisich] (prs) (begin) (start); [tuig] (prs) (understand), [vb.n] (tuigsinn); [tuit] (prs) (fall), [vb.n] (tuiteam); [uaine] (adj) (green); [uile] (adj) (all); [uisge] (m) (rain); [ùr] (adj) (new); ⟨ùr-nodha⟩ (adj) (brand new); [ùrnuigh] (f) (prayer)

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